

REMARKS

Claims 1-4, 6-14 and 16-20 are pending in this application. Claims 1, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 14, 16, 18 and 19 are amended herein and claims 5 and 15 are canceled herein.

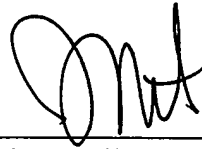
Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for indicating the allowable subject matter in claims 5-9 and 15-19. In view of this indication, claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations of claim 5 and claim 11 has been amended to include the limitations of claim 15. Claims 8 and 18 have also been placed in independent form. It is respectfully submitted that these claims are allowable.

Claims 4 and 14 have also been amended as suggested by the Examiner to avoid any indefiniteness issues. The scope of these claims is not narrowed.

Finally, a replacement drawing for Figure 3 is provided. This page includes a 'Prior Art' legend as requested by the Examiner.

Applicant has made a diligent effort to place the claims in condition for allowance. However, should there remain unresolved issues that require adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone Ira S. Matsil, Applicant's attorney, at 972-732-1001 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible. No fee is believed due in connection with this filing. However, should one be deemed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1065.

Respectfully submitted,



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